



**Advisory Committee on Veterans Business Affairs**  
Thursday, September 14, 2023 | 9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. ET  
Virtual Meeting

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| 9:05 am  | Welcoming Remarks and Introductions<br>Tim Green, Acting Associate Administrator<br>Office of Veterans Business Development   |
| 9:10 am  | ACVBA Chair Opening Remarks<br>Robert Bailey  |
| 9:15 am  | Office of Veterans Business Development Update<br>Tim Green, Acting Associate Administrator<br>Office of Veterans Business Development  |
| 9:30 am  | Office of Government Contracting and Business Development Updates<br>8(a) Business Development Program<br>Dr. Donna Peebles, Associate Administrator<br>VetCert Program<br>John Perkins, Director |
| 9:50 am  | Department of Veterans Affairs Small Business Update<br>Sharon Ridley, Executive Director, Acquisition Policy<br>Office of Small and Disadvantaged Business Utilization                           |
| 10:30 am | Break   |
| 10:45 am | Department of Defense Small Business Strategy<br>David Busigo, Senior Advisor<br>Office of Small Business Programs  |
| 11:15 am | Legislative Updates by the Madison Services Group<br>Elizabeth and Ann Sullivan, Madison Services Group, Inc.<br>& Women Veterans Business Coalition  |
| 12:00 pm | Subcommittee Updates  |
| 12:45 pm | Final Public Comment  |
| 1:00 pm  | Adjournment   |